

# Ione Rebekahs Plan For Election Dinner

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IONE—An Election Day dinner was the topic of discussion at the Rebekah meeting on Thursday evening, and it was voted to sponsor the dinner on May 18. Announcements of prices, time and menu will be made later in stores and in the paper. Under Good of the Order for the evening's meeting, Mrs. David Rietmann gave an interesting and informative talk on their recent trip to the Hawaiian Islands. Refreshment committee for the evening included Mrs. Rietmann, chairman, Mrs. Omar Rietmann and Mrs. Wallace Matthews. The tables were decorated in the spring motif and May Day baskets were used as centerpieces.

## Mrs. Swanson Returns Home

Mrs. Mary Swanson has returned to her home following an extended convalescence at the home of her son, Gar. Mrs. Elmo McMillan is staying with her for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lundell and family of Pendleton visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lundell on Sunday. They also called at homes of other local relatives.

## Dates to Remember:

- May 11—Topic
- May 13—Mother's Day
- May 14—Lions
- May 15—Rainbow
- May 15—Legion Auxiliary
- May 15—Deaconesses meeting
- May 16—Amica
- May 16—Masons
- May 16—Sorority
- May 17—Rebekah (No Social—will set tables for election dinner)
- May 17—Home Economics Festival
- May 18—Election day dinner at Rebekah hall

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lundell of Milwaukee visited in Ione at the home of her mother, Mrs. Tuda Swanson, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lundell, and other area relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kruse of Portland are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lana Padberg since Mrs. Padberg's return home from the Heppner hospital. Mrs. Padberg is up and around some now.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Crawford and family of Helix visited at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wate Crawford, last Thursday.

Capt. and Mrs. John Bristow and family visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Bristow, a few days this past week. They were enroute

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to his new assignment which is taking him to Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Markham Baker were in Pullman, Wn., to attend Mothers week-end this past week at Washington State University and to visit their daughter Mardine who is a student there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bergstrom returned home last week following a weeks vacation which took them to San Jose, Calif., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bergstrom, their son and family. They visited other friends in California, among which were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hutton of Isleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morgan's infant son is confined to the Heppner hospital in fair condition, following a flare up of infection. It is planned to return him to Doernbecher's hospital in Portland as soon as possible for further treatment if necessary.

The City Council members sprayed the city park this past week for weeds.

## Attend Portland Follies

Among the Ionians attending the Ice Follies in Portland this past week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Palmateer and family; Mr. and Mrs. Don Peterson and family; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rietmann and family; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rietmann and Mark and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rietmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sherer and family visited in Odessa, Wn., this past week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bartlamay.

Harold Sherer and daughter Judy motored to Redmond this past week-end to bring Mrs. Sherer home. She has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pierce following Mrs. Pierce's return from the hospital with their new daughter, Robyn Kay, this last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nichols and family visited in Heppner on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Munkers. Also visiting with the Munkers were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Angel and family of Portland, former Heppnerites, who were there for the week-end.

Mrs. Omar Rietmann and Mrs. Ida Coleman were in Portland over the week-end to attend a S.R.D. convention of Tops Clubs at the Sheraton Hotel. They also took in the Ice Follies on Sunday while there. Both Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Rietmann were house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Crawford. Linda Williams stayed with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gaarsland while Mrs. Coleman was away.

## Seniors, Parents Take Trip

Eleven tired but excited seniors and eight weary parents returned to Ione on Monday following a week-end skip day trip for the graduating seniors of Ione High school. They left Ione by car on Friday afternoon at about 1:30 p. m. Parents of seniors, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pettyjohn, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morgan, and class advisor and Mrs. Joe Hausler made the trip. They spent the night in Portland after attending the Ice Follies that evening. On Saturday they

motored on down the coast to Ocean Lake, where they enjoyed bowling and agate hunting. No sea voyages were taken due to the rainy weather. A grand time was reported with everyone enjoying the sights. The group came back through Portland where they made a stop at the zoo to see Pucky, the baby elephant.

## School Stages Banquet, Prom

Last month highlights of the Ione High school have included several social functions. On April 27 the annual banquet was held in honor of the graduating class. Out of town guests for the occasion included Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Shockley of Vancouver, Wn., and Father Raymond Beard of Heppner.

Also present was Rev. Rod MacKenzie of the Ione Community church, along with all the teachers and parents of the senior class, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeSpain.

The Junior-Senior banquet was followed on Saturday evening by the Prom. The Theme "South Pacific," was used. Linda Halvorsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen was crowned queen of the prom and Kenneth Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson, Jr., was her king.

## Take Guided Seattle Tour

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Palmer, Mrs. Cecil Thorne and Mrs. Fred Herman returned last week from a weeks visit with a guided tour to Seattle to attend the World's Fair. The Ionians joined 34 other guests from the Pendleton area on the tour, which took them to many points of interest throughout Seattle and the fair. They also enjoyed a boat trip on Puget Sound. The weather man was good to them through most of the trip and added to their enjoyment.

Mrs. Alvin McCabe will host the Ione Willows Grange Home Economics club on Thursday, May 17, at her home in Heppner, which is located in the basement apartment of the Heppner clinic. The regular date has been changed due to election day. Everyone is invited to attend the afternoon meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Janssen were Sunday visitors in Ione. Mr. and Mrs. Janssen were here on business and reported that his father Gus is still confined to the hospital in The Dalles. His condition is improving, but is uncertain how much longer he will be confined to the hospital.

Mrs. Lee Palmer accompanied

# Jepsen To Head Community Church

The Ione Community church held its annual meeting April 24 at the church.

The following officers were elected: Bob Jepsen, moderator; Don Bristow, assistant moderator; Marjorie Baker, clerk; Suzanne Jepsen, assistant clerk; Helen Nelson, treasurer; Ken Smouse, financial secretary; also deacons, honorary deaconesses, trustees, church school officers, music and education committees and council members.

Progress reports were given by officers and committee chairmen. Bob Jepsen was elected as delegate to the 114th annual meeting of the Congregational Conference of Oregon in Forest Grove May 14-16.

Summer schedule will be the same as in previous years. Church school for the younger

children and regular morning worship service held at 9:30 a. m., beginning the first Sunday in June and continuing through September 2.

## Ione Music Students To Combine Friday For Spring Concert

The annual spring concert by the Ione school music departments is planned for Friday evening, May 11, 8 p. m. in the high school gym, according to Arnie Hedmann, music director.

Appearing on the program will be the fifth grade beginners band, six, seventh and eighth grade intermediate bands, and high school chorus and band. A finale number will feature the mass band of all students combined. Accompanying the chorus will be Cheryl Lundell.

Refreshments and social hour will follow the concert, given by band parents, and contributions to help in music department expenses will be taken.

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